

November 10, 1975

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PR REPLY REFER TO: 03104505

(COOK COUNTY - Land Pollution Control
Chicago Heights/Triem

Bear Mr. Triem:

Pursuant to its responsibilities, the Illinois Environmental Proection Agency has conducted recent surveillance of the above facility, which disclosed apparent violations of State environmental laws and regulations, as follows:

1. Failure to apply daily cover of not less than six (6) inches of suitable material on all exposed refuse at the end of a day's operation, in violation of Rule 305(a) of Chapter 7: Solid Waste of the Illinois Pollution Control Board Rules and Regulagions (Chapter 7).

October 23, 1974 November 6, 1974 November 7, 1974 December 5, 1974 February 3, 1975 March 19, 1975 July 16, 1975 August 19, 1975 September 24, 1975

2. Failure to apply intermediate cover of not less than twelve (12) inches of suitable material following placement of refuse, in violation of Rule 305(b) of Chapter 7: Solid Waste of the Illinois Pollution Control Board Rules and Regulations (Chapter 7).

October 23, 1974 November 6, 1974 November 7, 1974 December 5, 1974 February 3, 1975 March 19, 1975 July 16, 1975 August 19, 1975 September 24, 1975

3. Failure to apply final cover of not less than two (2) feet of suitable material following placement of refuse, in violation of Rule 305(c) of Chapter 7: Solid Waste of the Illinois Pollution Control Board Rules and Regulations (Chapter 7).

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4. Causing or allowing the open dumping of refuse, in violation of Sections 21(a) and 21(b) of the Act. "Open dumping" as used here is a catchall term indicating violations of the requirements of daily cover and intermediate cover.

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February 3, 1975 March 19, 1975 August 19, 1975 September 24, 1975 October 29, 1975

It is our desire to offer you our assistance in developing a suitable program to correct these apparent violations. Toward this end, we request your attendance at a Compliance Conference to be held:

November 21, 1975, at 1:30 P.M. in the Northern Regional Office, 33 South Stolp Avenue, Aurora, Illinois.

You should bring such personnel to the Conference as will enable complete discussion of the following issues: 1) Validity of the aforesaid apparent violations; 2) short-term program to reduce or eliminate violations; and, 3) long-term program to achieve compliance, if necessary.

It is further requested that you confirm your attendance at such conference, in writing, to the undersigned, within ten (10) days from the date of this letter. Should we not receive such confirmation, we will assume you do not desire this Agency's assistance in the development of a compliance program.

Yours truly, .

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